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April 29, 2025

The Honorable Scott S. Harris Clerk of the Court Supreme Court of the United States One First Street, N.E. Washington, D.C. 20543

Re: Reynolds v. Hamm, No. 24-6941

Dear Mr. Harris:

I write to request an initial extension of 14 days for the filing of Respondent's brief in opposition in the above-captioned case, which would extend the time to file to May 22, 2025. Respondent's brief in opposition is currently due May 8, 2025.

This request for an extension is Respondent's first, and good cause exists for granting the request. On April 28, 2025, Respondent's counsel received a notice of intent to file a brief of amicus curiae in support of the petition for a writ of certiorari. The requested extension is necessary for counsel to adequately review and respond to the petition in light of the anticipated amicus brief. There are also no circumstances requiring an expedited ruling on the petition.

Petitioner does not oppose the requested extension.

Thank you for your assistance.

Respectfully submitted,

s/ Edmund G. LaCour Jr.
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Alabama Department of
Corrections John Q. Hamm

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